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## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the Office Action mailed 12/07/2005, applicant hereby responds as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.